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Applicant:

Van Der Toorn

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Holder For A Substrate Cassette And Device Provided With Such A Holder

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OFFICE ACTION RESPONSE AND AMENDMENT

Mail Stop Amendment Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

In response to the non-final Office Action dated August 11, 2004, please consider the following amendment and remarks.

Amendments to the claims are reflected in the listing of claims beginning at page 2 and the Remarks begin on page 4.